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E.O. 11652: N/A  
TAGS: EFIN, JA  
SUBJECT: CERP 0585 - INDUSTRIAL PRODUCTION IN SEPTEMBER -  
PRELIMINARY

1. SUMMARY: JAPAN'S INDUSTRIAL PRODUCTION, SEASONALLY  
ADJUSTED, DECLINED SLIGHTLY IN SEPT BY 0.1 PERCENT, WHILE  
PRODUCRS' SHIPMENTS REMAINED UNCHANGED. INVENTORIES OF  
FINISHED GOODS DECLINED IN SEPT. END SUMMARY.

2. ACCORDING TO PRELIMINARY DATA RELEASED OCT 26 BY MINISTRY  
OF INTERNATIONAL TRADE AND INDUSTRY (MITI), JAPAN'S INDEX OF  
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MINING AND MANUFACTURING PRODUCTION, S.A., DECLINED 0.1  
PERCENT IN SEPT, AFTER 1.3 PERCENT INCREASE IN AUG.  
EXCLUDING SHIPS, SEPT PRODUCTION DECLINE WAS SLIGHTLY  
LARGER 0.2 PERCENT. PRODUCTION OF TRANSPORTATION  
EQUIPMENT AND TEXTILES ROSE IN SEPT BUT WAS OFFSET BY  
DECLINES REGISTERED FOR ALL OTHER MAJOR INDUSTRIES.

3. PRODUCERS' SHIPMENTS OF FINISHED GOODS IN MINING AND MANUFACTURING INDUSTRIES, S.A., REMAINED UNCHANGED FROM PRIOR MONTH IN SEPT AFTER RECORDING HEALTH 1.3 PERCENT INCREASE IN AUG. EXCLUDING SHIP DELIVERIES, PRODUCERS' SHIPMENTS ROSE 0.2 PERCENT IN SEPT. SHIPMENTS OF TRANSPORTATION EQUIPMENT, CERAMICS, STONE AND CLAY, AND PAPER AND PULP ROSE IN SEPT, WHILE SHIPMENTS OF IRON AND STEEL AND ELECTRIC MACHINERY DECLINED DURING THE MONTH. AS A GROUP, SHIPMENTS OF CONSTRUCTION MATERIALS RECORDED HEALTHY INCREASE IN SEPT.

4. INDEX OF PRODUCERS' INVENTORIES OF FINISHED GOODS FOR MINING AND MANUFACTURING INDUSTRIES, S.A., DECLINED 0.6 PERCENT IN SEPT AFTER 0.1 PERCENT INCREASE IN AUG. RATIO OF PRODUCERS' INVENTORIES OF FINISHED GOODS SHIPMENTS DECLINED FOR SECOND STRAIGHT MONTH IN SEPT, DOWN 0.6 PERCENT FROM AUG; THE SAME RATIO EXCLUDING SHIP DELIVERIES DECLINED MORE RAPIDLY, BY 0.8 PERCENT DURING THE MONTH.

5. FOLLOWING ARE PRELIMINARY MITI DATA ON SEPT INDUSTRIAL PRODUCTION INDICES, S.A., 1970 EQUALS 100:

	AUG	SEP	PERCENT	
	REVISED	PRELIM.	INCREASE	
INDUSTRIAL PRODUCTION:				
ALL INDUSTRIES	130.3	130.2	MIN	0.1
PUBLIC UTILITIES	149.3	156.1		4.6
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MINING AND MANUFACTURING	129.7	129.6	MIN	0.1
MINING	75.6	74.7	MIN	1.2
MANUFACTURING	130.2	130.2		0
MINING AND MANUFACTURING				
EXCLUDING SHIPS	130.4	130.1	MIN	0.2

PRODUCERS' SHIPMENTS:

ALL INDUSTRIES	133.4	133.3	MIN	0.1
MINING AND MANUFACTURING	132.8	132.8		0
MANUFACTURING	133.2	132.9	MIN	0.2
MINING AND MANUFACTURING				
EXCLUDING SHIPS	133.5	133.8		0.2

PRODUCERS' INVENTORIES OF  
FINISHED GOODS:

MINING AND MANUFACTURING	174.2	173.2	MIN	0.6
MINING	71.3	74.5		4.5
MANUFACTURING	174.7	173.7	MIN	0.6
RATIO OF INVENTORY TO				
SHIPMENTS	131.2	130.4	MIN	0.6
RATIO OF INVENTORY TO SHIPMENTS				
EXCLUDING SHIPS	130.5	129.4	MIN	0.8

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